

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF AMERICAN)	
COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES OF)	
LOUISVILLE, INC. AND AMERICAN)	CASE NO.
COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES OF)	97-445
LEXINGTON, INC. FOR AN ORDER)	
PURSUANT TO KRS 278.300)	

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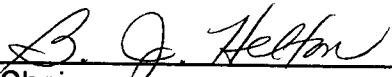
On November 10, 1997, American Communications Services of Louisville, Inc. and American Communications Services of Lexington, Inc. ("ACSI") applied to the Commission for authority to issue or assume indebtedness pursuant to KRS 278.300 for the purpose of retirement of certain debt and the continued expansion and operation of ACSI's telecommunications services. In its filing, ACSI requested permission to deviate from the requirements of 807 KAR 5:001, Sections 11(1)(a) through 11(1)(e), and 11(2)(a) through (2)(c).

Having reviewed the filing and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that good cause, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 14, exists to grant the requested deviations. Further, the information filed by ACSI is sufficient to enable the Commission to review adequately ACSI's petition. Therefore, its request for permission to deviate from the above-cited regulations should be granted.

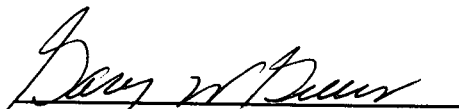
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that ACSI's request for permission to deviate from the requirements of 807 KAR 5:001, Sections 11(1)(a) through 11(1)(e) and 11(2)(a) through (2)(c), is hereby granted.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 4th day of December, 1997.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


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Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director